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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1633

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
O'Gorman et al.

Application No.: 08/919,501

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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 26, 1999, in the above-identified application, please consider the following arguments and enter the following amendments.

In the claims

Please amend claims 12, 18-24, 26, 28, 32, 35, 40, 43 and 44 and cancel claims 1-10, 16, 25, 33, and 45 without prejudice. For the Examiner's convenience, pending claims not amended herein are included and marked "Reiterated."